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Sir:

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In resp	conse to the Final Official Action dated September 14, 2007, reconsideration is
respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:	
	Amendments to the Specification.
\boxtimes	Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
	Amendments to the Drawings.
\boxtimes	Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.